TRANSGENDERED

AND SHUT OUT?

This is what some members of the Gay and Lesbian community are doing to transgendered people.

Think About This:

- *Gender Identity Program (GIP) exists because the Center is receiving monies from the government. Not because of any benevolence on the center's part!*
- *Transgendered people are NOT being accepted by the Gay and Lesbian community for who we are. We are chided and harassed, even in the Center!*
- *Many Gays and Lesbians would love to see all trangendered people out of the Center and out of Gay life. They erroneously believe that we perpetuate undesirable Gay and Lesbian stereotypes that they would rather disassociate themselves from.*
- *"Gay" Transmen® and "Lesbian" Transwomen® are being relegated to the status of fourth class citizens! They are doing to "Gay" Transmen® and "Lesbian" Transwomen® what the "heterosexual" world does to them! Why must the Gay and Lesbian community be so "heterosexual" and narrow in their thinking?*

It is now time for the all transgendered persons to stop taking abuse from certain misguided Gay and Lesbian brothers and sisters.

Lest the community not forget, many of the participants in the Stonewall riots, the "Bunker Hill" of the modern Gay and Lesbian liberation movement, were transgendered!

STOP TRANS-BASHING, RESPECT US!